MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TRANSPORTATION/CENTRALIZED SERVICES DIVISION AGENDA NO. 05-08-30

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For Work Week Commencing: August 29, 2005 Commission Meeting: August 30, 2005, 9:00 a.m.

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<u>9:00 a.m. Weekly Scheduling</u> (Commission Conference Room)

9:30 a.m. Business (Bollinger Room)

Public Comments

<u>Action Items</u> All items identified below are for action at the Commission business meeting.

1. <u>TN2272</u> (Wayne)

James H. and Joan P. Michael dba Airport Shuttle Service, Kalispell, Montana requests permission to lease PSC No. 3664 to Flathead Area Custom Transportation, Inc. dba Kalispell Taxi & Airport Shuttle Service, Kalispell, Montana for a one year period, August 30, 2005 to August 30, 2006

<u>Class B</u> - Persons and baggage from Kalispell, Montana, and a two mile radius thereof to Glacier International Airport via U.S. Highway No. 2, and State Highway No. 206, serving all intermediate points and return.

Limitations: The transportation of persons and baggage between points and places within the City of Kalispell and a two mile radius thereof is prohibited.

- SUB A Class B Persons and baggage deplaning from Frontier Airlines and Hughes Airwest flights at Glacier Park International Airport to West Glacier, Montana, and return over Montana Highway No. 206 and 40 and U.S. Highway No. 2, subject to the condition that carrier advise Glacier Park, Inc., of its proposed service schedule and take such steps as may be reasonably necessary to coordinate service with that furnished by Glacier Park, Inc.
- SUB B Class B Persons and personal baggage between all points and places within Kalispell and a three (3) mile radius thereof.

 Limitations: 1) Transportation of passengers in limousine service is prohibited. 2) Transportation of Burlington Northern train crews is prohibited. 3) Transportation of express is prohibited. 4) Utilization of vans is restricted to the transportation of fifteen (15) people, or less, per vehicle.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approve lease as applied for.

ACTION:

2. <u>TN2273</u> (Wayne)

Town Taxi, Inc., Havre, Montana requests a fuel surcharge of \$.50 per fare on passenger operations under PSC No. 9436. If granted this fuel surcharge will be in effect from August 30, 2005 to November 28, 2005.

Class B – Passengers between all points and places in Blaine, Choteau, Hill, Liberty and Phillips Counties, Montana. LIMITATION: Transportation of passengers in limousines or in limousine services is prohibited.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approve fuel surcharge as applied for.

ACTION:

3. Approval of Commission Minutes

(Wayne)

Approval of the Commission Minutes for the weeks of August 15, 2005 and August 22, 2005.

ACTION: